## 2472

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Brief Description: Providing family preservation services.

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## (SUBSTITUTED FOR - SEE 1ST SUB)

Encourages the implementation of family preservation services which shall be in-home programs that follow models with demonstrated effectiveness in reducing or avoiding the need for state-funded foster care placement.

Designates the required characteristics of the program.

Establishes requirements for eligibility for the family preservation services.

Requires a family preservation services study in one region of the state and a report by January 1, 1993, with recommendations for state-wide implementation.